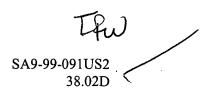
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATE	NT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
In re the Divisional Application of	) Group Art Unit: 3729
Jeffrey S. Lille	)
Serial No.: 10/601,982	) Examiner: Kim, Paul D.
Filing Date: 6/20/03	)
For: A METHOD FOR FORMING AN AIR BEARING SURFACE ON A SLIDER	)  DETITION FOR EXPENSION OF TIME
BEARING SURFACE ON A SLIDER	) PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	11/25/2005 HTECKLU1 00000022 10601982 01 FC:1251 120.00 OP
Dear Sir:	
In accordance with Rule 1.136, the applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner for a one month extension of time extending to November 22, 2005, the period for response to the Office Action dated July 22, 2005. The fee of \$120 and the responsive papers are attached. If it should be determined that a longer extension of time or other petition and fee are required to prevent this application from becoming abandoned, or for any other reason an insufficient fee has been paid, please charge any insufficiency to Deposit Account No. 50-0585. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.	
Respectfully submitted,	
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